

Wednesday - P.M. Oct 28th 1954

Dear Mildred - Well as you can see I am here & all settled in - June is getting along fine - a little better each day tho' her nerves are a wreck - But she eats good & sleeps good - Is taking a nap now - She couldn't sleep with that nurse here & so now she will get along faster, She has told me so much about how she was in the hospital & Mildred none of us could ever realize it. She has told me that there are things he can't talk about she fills up & starts to cry - & that's not good for her That she had shots so many that made her so she couldn't move. That was on account of the blood clot & they said if she moved, turned over, or any movement it might start the clot going & be just sudden death She had flowers - loads of them, & she said she realized they were flowers but they looked like dancing girls & all so. lazy she just couldn't appreciate

them - I got here Sat. night - Emory met me at Galesburg. June looked good but started crying and it was pretty hectic for a while - She can't control her emotions, so while she is so weak - we don't dwell too much on her pictures -

Mildred - she started to tell me what she saw in her fanciful dreams about you - she said she had gotten the idea you were coming - then she couldn't go on - & she wrote it down for me to tell you - she said she listened for your steps down the hall - would hear them & then you'd come & pass right by & go on - she said it came that way several nights. She didn't tell anyone but would just lie & cry - and she said that I came & looked in & went away. So the poor kid has gone thro' a lot that we didn't ever know - She had to have a catheter for the kidney actions for about 6 weeks then there was an

infection that had to be cured as she had
an impacted bowel & infection in the
vagina - But she has come through

& we can all thank God for her life
The doctors said they had done what
they could & asked Emery if he
was a praying man - that they needed
more help - So every night Emery would
take her hand see his & kneel by her
bed & pray - & of course, I also prayed
She says she felt that it helped to save
her. So Mildred, hang on to your faith
& know its something real

Thanks loads & loads to you &
Ethel for the gifts - The rose is what
I've admired for so long and never
had the nerve to buy for myself - the
earrings are beautiful & the prettiest I've
seen in a long time - I went to the
P.O. in Glenwood on my last night there
to see if it (the pkg) had come but it hadn't
so Gerald said they would forward it

and I got it today - along with a set of
beautiful place mats & napkins to match
from Rose Marie - & a chik. for \$3 from Margie
& me for 5 - from Marian - Emery & June
each gave me 5 - so I'm just

doing fine. Thanks again
Mildred & Ethel -

Lots of love Carrie